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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 832
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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Ms. Lindsay Schenk for her outstanding accomplishments and accolades.

WHEREAS, it is highly fitting and appropriate that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those sterling individuals who, through their hard work, expertise, and dedication, have pieced together the enduring fabrics that comprise the grand tapestry of the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, these exceptional citizens have made praiseworthy contributions and are a credit to their respective families and communities, and to this state; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lindsay Schenk is one such outstanding individual, who evinces the greatest integrity and probity in all of her chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, through her natural talents and her commitment to excellence, Lindsay has distinguished herself in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Schenk has already achieved tremendous success and has received many accolades; and

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WHEREAS, her present success was foretold early in her high school career when she was chosen as one of the five most promising freshmen; and

WHEREAS, a natural leader, Lindsay Schenk has served with acumen and alacrity in a multitude of leadership roles and positions, including meritorious service as President of the Freshman class, Vice-President of the Sophomore class, Sophomore Executive, member of the Student Council, Vice-President of the Student Council, member of the Youth Leadership Wilson Class, and as an attendee of the presidential classroom. During her senior year, Lindsay will continue to serve her fellow students with the utmost intelligence and integrity as President of the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, eager to learn more about the intricacies and complexities of government, Lindsay brought her ability and expertise to the American Legion Girls' State, where her superior work and unparalleled leadership abilities earned her the respect and admiration of her peers. As a distinguished delegate Girls' State, she served with probity in the House of Representatives and as a County Commissioner; she also sponsored and passed legislation requiring all school boards across the state to include two high school students in their respective memberships, and she was also instrumental in earning her city recognition as the second best city at Girls State; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Schenk's ambition and drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, a gifted athlete, Lindsay Schenk has demonstrated incredible athletic ability on the soccer field, and has been a starter on her school's soccer team since she was a freshman. Her fancy footwork and amazing soccer talent have earned Lindsay the All-District Soccer recognition and the Best Defensive Player Award; and

WHEREAS, throughout her remarkable high school career, Lindsay Schenk has maintained an exceptional grade point average; in recognition of her academic excellence, Lindsay was inducted into the Beta Club, during her sophomore year; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Schenk has displayed a flair for journalism as a member of the newspaper staff, and will serve as editor during her senior year; and

WHEREAS, Lindsay Schenk epitomizes the spirit and dedication that is characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, Lindsay will enhance her leadership skills and further demonstrate her commitment to excellence on the soccer field during her senior year, as she will have the great honor and privilege of serving her team as captain; she received the Leadership Award for soccer during her junior year; and

WHEREAS, Lindsay's noteworthy achievements and accomplishments are a source of great pride for her parents, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study and an unyielding commitment of time and talent, Ms. Schenk has achieved outstanding success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; her dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, That we hereby honor and commend Ms. Lindsay Schenk on her impressive achievements, applaud her tireless pursuit of excellence, and wish her continued success in all her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.